

Beauty Box Session Set By Opti-Mrs.

"Operation Beauty" is uppermost in the minds of the Lomita Opti-Mrs. Club as they prepare for a question-and-answer "beauty box" session with a leading cosmetologist at their September meeting.

The women will hear Ruth Davis when they gather Sept. 14 at the home of Mrs. Lois Bowling, 26209 Governor Ave.

Club members also are being kept in "stitches" to study and fashion authentic clothes for "Miss Brazil," their doll entry to be presented at the coming convention at Arrowhead Springs Hotel, Oct. 10, 11, 12, by delegates Jo Bacon, president; Gertrude Tennis, Mildred Mumby, Barbara Gaines, Bowling, and Marvella Guerin.

According to Mrs. Guerin, press chairman, other members of the Opti-Mrs. and Optimist clubs will attend the buffet dinner on the closing day of the convention.

Still making the rounds and swelling the funds designated for the Optimist Boy's Home in Los Angeles is the club's "Ask-It-Basket," Mrs. Guerin reported.

Clarify Eligibility for Well Baby Conferences

Well-baby conferences conducted by the Country Health Department at the Carson St. School are available only to residents living east of Main St. and south of Victoria Ave., announced Dr. P. R. Auriemma, Compton District Health officer, this week.

Families living outside this area are eligible to attend the well-baby conferences held in the Torrance area.

Parents interested in registering their babies can obtain further information by calling the Compton Health Center at NEWmark 8-4101.

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FRIDAY WSCS Marks August Yule

Christmas in August will be celebrated by members of the Women's Society of Christian Service and Sunday School of the Waleria Community Methodist Church Friday, Aug. 27 at 7 p.m.

Around a brightly decorated tree gifts will be placed for children's hospitals and institutions at home and abroad. Cookies and punch will be served as refreshments.

Mrs. Hubert Rampley, supply chairman of the WSCS, is in charge of the event.

Trio Rebekahs To Learn of Home for Aged

Honored guest at the Trio Rebekah Lodge 240 meeting Wednesday evening, Aug. 25 will be Catherine Sproule, trustee of the Odd Fellows Home for the Aged at Saratoga.

Mrs. Sproule will speak on the home for the benefit of many new members and she will elaborate on improvements made during the past year.

As an added feature, Misses Bobbie Jean Hill and Barbara Davis, both television stars, will perform. Both are known for their renditions of Western music.

At Trio's last meeting, Silver Crest Rebekah Lodge of Redondo Beach presented to Trio the Aladdin's Lamp for the president's project, which was new linoleum for the floors of the Children's Home at Gilroy this year, Redondo Lodge entertained with a variety band.

'Stork Story' Former THS Gridiron Great, Idaho Miss Wed

Pete Douroux, an all-time football great at Torrance High School, claimed an Idaho bride July 30 at the Boone Memorial Presbyterian Church in Caldwell, Idaho.

Son of Mrs. Rose Douroux of Long Beach, the bridegroom served with the Army in Germany for two years before continuing his education at the College of Idaho in Caldwell. His bride, Miss Barbara Little, is a graduate of Caldwell High School and attended the local college last year.

Flickering candles gave soft illumination to the evening wedding scene, witnessed by 250 guests. Rev. H. H. Hayman officiated at the double-ring ceremony, performed before an altar banked with gladioli and an arch of the white flowers.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown fashioned of white satin, net and lace. A lace bodice, with traditional full-length pointed sleeves, extended in points to a bouffant skirt of net over satin. Her fingertip double net veil was edged in lace, and capped with a tarr of pearls.

Pale blue organdy was worn by the matron of honor, Mrs. Carl Hanson Jr. Matching gowns were worn by the bridesmaids, Misses Cassandra Handford, Pat Benedict, Virginia Ernst and Yvonne Cleveland. Each attendant carried a blue and white nosegay, and wore a blue organdy hat and mitts.

Candlelighters carrying out in their gowns the pale blue theme were Phyllis Westfall and Shirley Odem.

ATTEND GROOM Carl Hanson Jr. was best man, and Bob Crosby, Don Hamblin, Lou Karnek, and Jerry Hamby ushered guests to their seats. Ring bearer was the cousin of the bride, Gary Kay Rice.

The wedding party received guests at a reception held after the ceremony in the church basement. A tinted pale blue wedding cake, arranged in four tiers, was decorated with tiny pink flowers. Mrs. George Long registered guests for the couples memory book.

After a honeymoon at McCall, the couple returned to their new home at 2024 Ash Ave. in Caldwell.

Fall List of Junior Dance Set Compiled

Busy compiling the invitation list for the fall session of the Torrance Junior Ballroom Group which starts Friday, Sept. 10, are members of the board of directors, headed by Betty Eardley, dance instructor.

The group is formed to give high school and junior students an opportunity to learn ballroom dancing and etiquette. Mrs. Eardley said. Sessions are held at the Bettie Thomas Studio, 1215 Crenshaw Blvd.

Attending the recent board meeting from Torrance were Mmes. Robert W. Cosby, Calvin R. Clark, Robert W. Church, Robert N. Ward, John A. Omer, Mrs. P. Bishop, and Thomas. Also present were Mmes. John A. Goddard of Redondo Beach; Charles King, Walter C. Kunath of Lomita; Louis M. Collins of Hawthorne; Louise Schiave of Wilmington, and Louis N. Matscher of Gardena.

Board members unable to attend are Mmes. M. A. Bauman and George Powell of Torrance and Tom Metzger of Wilmington.

Plan Luncheon For Teachers

Plans for a teachers luncheon were made when the Walpole PTA board met recently and set the date for the affair as Sept. 16.

Mrs. Carl Cramer, PTA president, announced at the meeting that Council workshop would be held Sept. 29 at the First Baptist Church.

Tentative budget figures were compiled at a Thursday meeting of the budget and finance committee under the direction of Mrs. Dale Wands, chairman. The gathering, held before the regular board meeting, found Mmes. Carl Cramer, Hector Herrera, Richard Heitmeyer and Glenn Karhu in attendance.

Beach AAUW Holds Charter Fete Tonight

A gala dinner party will be held tonight to celebrate Manhattan Beach Branch's official recognition by the American Association of University Women, making it California's newest unit of the national organization.

Setting for the event will be La Venta Inn in Palos Verdes Estates, and the 90 members, who represent the entire South Bay area, and guests are expected to attend. Festivities will begin with punch served in the inn patio at 7 o'clock, and the music group will provide background selections.

Mrs. Bruce Rhodes, president of the San Pedro branch, will present the charter and install Mrs. R. J. McMahon as president of the new unit. She also will install other officers as follows:

Mrs. M. E. Graves, first vice-president and membership chairman; K. A. Crown, second vice-president and program chairman; Michael Kokos, treasurer; and Henry Rado, secretary.

Business, Professional Clubs Begin Fund Drive to Elect Mrs. Younger to State Senate

Members of the Torrance Business and Professional Women's Clubs, as well as each of the other 276 BPW clubs in the California Federation, are being urged to open their pocketbooks to help finance a war chest.

The political promotion committee of the Federation has embarked upon a drive for funds to help elect Mrs. Mildred Younger, Los Angeles GOP candidate, to the California Senate, Leona M. Ward, state news service chairman, revealed this week.

Goal of the drive is a \$1 donation from each member of the state's clubs, she said. If the drive were 100 per cent successful, this would assure Mrs. Younger aid for her November battle for ballots to beat the Democratic candidate, Los Angeles Atty. Richard Richards, for the 38th District's Senatorial seat.

Mrs. Younger was one of three women candidates backed by the BPWC in the June 8 primaries. The other two, Mrs. Pauline Davis, Assemblyman, Second District, and Miss Dorothy Donohoe, 38th District, Assemblyman, pocketed reelection in the primaries. Both are Democrats. Mrs. Davis won both the Republican and Democratic nominations and Miss Donohoe was unopposed.

To gain the Republican nomination, Mrs. Younger beat Senator Jack Tenney, who came back to the GOP after running for the vice-presidency as candidate of the Christian Nationalist Party in 1952.

The BPWC fund drive for Mrs. Younger is the second of its kind in the history of the California Federation. In the 1952 campaign, the BPWC threw the weight of its financial and moral support behind the candidacy of Miss Donohoe.

In urging members to support the Federation's latest political prodigy, Dr. Dorothy Peterson, chairman of the committee, said members will meet with Mrs. Younger and her campaign chairman next month to work out other ways in which the BPW can support her campaign.

Contributions are to be sent to the political promotion committee's treasurer, Mrs. Leiceser Fulwider, 825 Venice Blvd., Los Angeles.

Moose Club's Card Party Draws Crowd

Gala prizes were given at the Women of the Moose, Torrance Chapter 44 card party, held for the benefit of orphans at Mooseheart Wednesday evening at the 1744 Carson St. address of the Moose Hall.

Entertainment in the form of tap dancing was provided at intermission by Misses Teresa Landral and Darlene Harbinson. Refreshment fare included jello topped-by-roses-of-whipped-cream.

Card games included pinocchio, canasta, bridge and bunto. Mrs. William Griep was in charge of the affair, which was attended by about 50 people.

Wednesday evening was the 19th anniversary of the local chapter. Plans have been made to celebrate the occasion on Aug. 28 at the Moose Hall with a festive party.

TEN-DAY TRIP ENDS FOR FRANK FARRELLS

Las Vegas and Hoover Dam were among the vacation sights witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Farrell and their daughter Nancy, of 1546 W. 214th St., on their recent trip.

During their 10 day tour the Torrance family stopped at the Twin Lakes Lodge in Nevada, and saw several shows in Las Vegas. Before visiting Hoover Dam and Lake Mead, they saw a movie of how the structure was built.

Miss Carstens Home From Summer at Carmel Miss Erma Carstens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carstens of 1452 Post Ave., returned home last week after spending six weeks counseling at the Douglas Camps in the Carmel Valley.

The popular miss, who will be a senior at Occidental College next year, reported swimming, horse back riding and other camp activities on her summer agenda.

Surprise Mrs. Carter With Stork Shower

Board members of Halldale School PTA, surprised Mrs. Robert Carter at her 22402 Maylor Ave. home recently when they honored her at a stork shower.

Those attending the event were Mmes. J. R. Clark, W. L. Harvey, C. C. De Vore, J. Gardiner, A. G. Schilling, J. Andrade, T. C. Myron, Clyde Bohannan, E. R. Martin, D. Goolsvey, Sam Kirkwood and J. Phillips.

Lion Creates Excitement On Riders' Camping Trip

Excitement caused by a mountain lion entering camp heightened the four-day hunting trip taken by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rider of 1741 Greenwood Ave. this week.

The couple hunted deer with their children, Rex 3½, and Rosanne, 2½. While they were in camp a mountain lion was discovered a few tents down from the Riders. Alert hunters saved away the animal.

They camped at Bouquet Canyon above Saugus River.

DESK 'N' DERRICK CLUB HOLDS MEET

Torrance General Petroleum and Shell Chemical Corporations were represented Wednesday night at a dinner meeting of the Long Beach Desk and Derrick Club at the Imperial Restaurant in Garden Grove.

Newell B. Honecutt, drilling superintendent of the Brown Marine Drilling Co. was the guest speaker for the evening. He is in charge of offshore drilling of the Monterey Oil Well, and gave some highlights and inside information on marine drilling.



MISS BARBARA LITTLE . . . Football Hero's Bride

At San Pedro Community

Arriving to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Frank Utter, 21231 S. Figueroa St., on Aug. 15 was a baby boy weighed 7 lbs. 10 oz.

Parents of a new daughter, who arrived Aug. 14, are Mr. and Mrs. Epifanio Galindo of Apt. 511, Harbor Hills, Lomita. The little miss weighed 6 lbs. 4½ oz.

Miniature femininity in triplets now forms the family of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewellen Jr. of 1623 Elm Ave. since the arrival at 7:50 a.m. Aug. 19 of their third daughter. Sisters of the 8 lb. miss, who has been named Theresa Lucille, are 4½-year-old Judith Marie and 1½-year-old Patricia Ann; father is associated with his father, Robert Lewellen Sr., at Lewellen Press. The paternal grandparents live at 1307 Madrid Ave.; on the maternal side are the Edward Fenwick of Redondo Beach.

ORTMAN SISTERS RE-VISIT INDIANA

Misses Rosa and Katie Ortmann of 1729 Cabrillo Ave. recently returned home after a three-week visit in Kokomo, Ind. The Eastern visitors saw their brothers and many friends during their journey.

Reflections

By J. HUGH SHERFFEY, JR. DRIVING COURTESY PAYS From earliest childhood we have been taught to be courteous. We do not scramble for the only chair when there are ladies to be seated nor do we let like a bunch of hungry wolves when dinner is announced. No, we display good manners.

The National Safety Council lists a seven point courtesy code that we should learn and adjust our driving manners if we expect to live long and be happy:

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2 Allow ample clearance when passing;
3 Yield the right of way to other drivers and pedestrians;
4 Give proper turn and stop signals;
5 Dim headlight when meeting or following vehicles;
6 Respect traffic laws, signs, signals and road markings;
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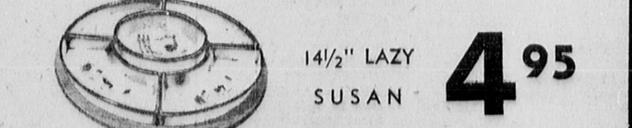
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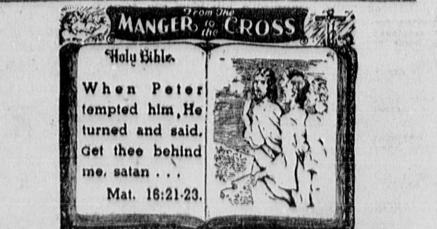


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